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Nearly Thirty Years
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sading Newspaper

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PAVING CONTRACT LET TO
DOTHAN CONCERN; TO
START NEXT WEEK.

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At a regular meeting of the Town Council held Monday night, a contract for street paving was let to the Central Construction Company, of Dothan. The contractors have announced that work will begin next week, probably Monday, and some effort has been made to effect an opening organization of the State. This renovation movement has met little encouragement.

Streets to be paved are: Simons street from bridge to new bridge which is to be built on Davis creek; Davis street from the pavement end of the E. C. Church to end of the street in front of the Marsh residence; Chancery and Chief Engineer, Henry J. Law and John S. Turner, have visited many sections of Alabama and their plans as planned by the city council have been endorsed at numerous public meetings also by Chambers of Commerce and Rotary and Kiwanis and the civic clubs and the members of the various. The Commissioners have prepared maps setting forth their purposes in a general way and have taken the public into their confidence to do with the \$25,000,000 of bond issue money and the approximately \$6,000,000 that will come from Federal sources within the next four years. By the way, frankness, they have gained the confidence of the people.

Chairman Sidney J. Reaves of the Commission, and G. W. Cannon, chairman of the paving and road committee, requested that they take nothing for granted but work to get the paving done at that time there was one opposition instead of only "whispering campaign" against it. "Our only danger lies in overconfidence and consequent indifference," says Chairman Reaves in his appeal to good roads advocates.

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The Community Council has had this project under way for several weeks, and only a few objections have been made to the paving and announcement of the awarding of the contract will be good news to those who have sponsored the improvement. The town officials are to be congratulated on their forward steps.

S. S. CLASS HAS DELIGHTFUL MEETING.

The Community Council held a most delightful meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss Vera Helms at Opp. Miss Helms, a former member of this class, all except three members of the class were present with the following visitors: Rev. and Mrs. T. C. Mahan, Mrs. Sam Rowe and Mrs. J. W. Kendrik, of Elba, Rev. and Mrs. Gardner and Mrs. Adams, of Opp.

An excellent program was rendered after each talk was given by Mrs. Rowe, Mrs. Mahan, Gardner and Helms. Rev. Mahan spoke of the possibilities of this class. These talks were interesting and inspirational. The class then had a special devotional service.

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STRAW HAT SEASON IS HERE—LET'S HAVE ONE FOR YOU. FIND THE CHEAPEST TO A GENUINE PANAMA, IN ALL SIZES.

MAYS-VAUGHN MERC., CO.

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We have just received a car of OPEN FLOUR.

Smith Bros. Phone 37.

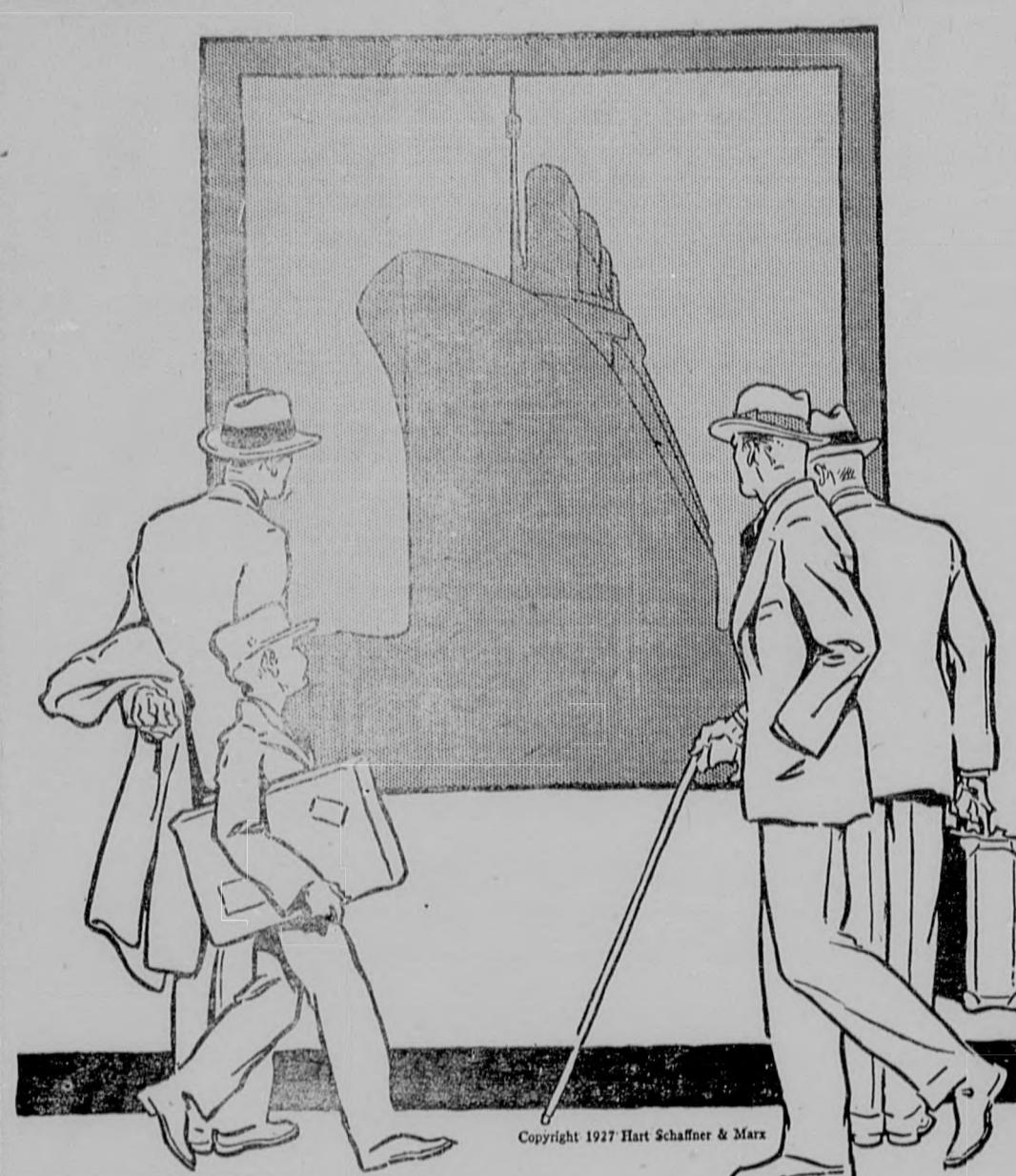
EUZELIAN S. S. CLASS ENTERTAINED.

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The Euzelian S. S. Class was delightfully entertained when they met at the home of Mrs. A. E. Ross, Tuesday evening last.

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THE S. S. CLASS HAS BEEN ENTERTAINED.



What We've Done For 1927
Is a Fine Thing For You and For Us

Mays-Vaughn Merc. Co.

Has Secured The

Hart Schaffner & Marx
Line Of Clothes For 1927

It's a fine thing for you because
you'll get more value than you've
seen in good clothes for years

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Hart Schaffner & Marx search every
fashion center for the latest ideas
and give them to you the minute
they become accepted styles.

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we can render even better clothes
service than we have in the past.
The more we do for you, the more
friends we make for ourselves.
And an ever widening circle of
business friends means a greater
growth and progress for us

**Mays-Vaughn Merc.
Company**

New Brockton News

By Miss Alpha Moore.

Brockton High School observed its Civic Program on March 24th. Suggestions for beautifying the school grounds were given by different members. Following is the program as rendered:

Devotional—Prof. Eidsom.

Roll Call and Minutes.

Walk: A Definite Plan for Beautifying School Grounds

Mrs. D. A. Bush.

Song.

Reading: The 'Commuter' Beautiful—Mrs. George Mc-

Dowell.

High School Notes.

The music department, charge

for the New Brockton High

School have arrived and with

a splendid velvet curtain for

the stage and nice chairs for

sitting, we feel that our audience

will be well and comfortably

We believe that the people of the community are

justifiable in having real pride

in the school and its equipment.

Mrs. J. B. Woodall, visited

parents, Mrs. and Mrs. Thomas

McDowell.

Mrs. F. M. Moore, of

Woman's College, spent the

spring holidays with her par-

ents, Rev. and Mrs. M. T.

Moore and Mrs. W. H. Ward

and little daughter, Martha.

Spent Tuesday in Montgomery.

Misses Gussie Boyd, Mary

Alma, and Eddie Sawyer,

of Troy Normal, spent the week

end with their parents here.

Mrs. M. E. Varner left Tues-

day for Greenville to visit relatives.

Mr. Y. E. Folsom and little

daughter, Kathleen, and Miss

Susie Folsom, of Flora, spent

the week end with Mrs. Thom-

as.

Mr. J. B. Vaughn and Mr. E.

F. Massay, of Birmingham,

spent the week end with relatives

here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Folsom,

of Farmers Academy, spent

Sunday with Mrs. S. E. Folsom.

Mrs. Henry Law and Miss

Susie Folsom spent Monday

Day with their parents here.

Misses Martha Thomas of

Troy, Jean and Katherine

Lee of Elba, spent the week

end with Miss Estelle Sawyer.

Rev. M. T. Moore spent Tues-

day and Wednesday in Mont-

gomery.

Mr. W. M. Hayes and

daughter, Cora, returned last

week from Pinckard, where

they had spent some time with

relatives.

P. T. A. gave Civic Program.

The P. T. A. of the New

Charter No. 6897

REPORT OF CONDITION OF

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

AT ELBA, IN THE STATE OF ALABAMA,

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON MARCH 23rd, 1927

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, including rediscouts,

acceptances of other banks and foreign

bills of exchange or drafts sold with in-

domestic this bank (except those

shown in Item 1-b)..... 8524,145.16

Total loans..... 8524,145.16

Overdrafts, secured, \$ none; unsecured, \$1,667.36

U. S. Government securities owned:

a. Deposited to secure circulation (U. S.

home par value)..... 50,000.00

Total..... 50,000.00

Other banks, stocks, securities, etc. 4,500.00

Banking House, \$10,056.27; Furniture and

Fixtures, \$1,451.89

Other property, less than banking house

and furniture with Federal Reserve Bank

Cash in vault and amount due from national

banks..... 21,913.32

Amount due from State banks, bankers, and

trust companies in the United States

(other than included in Item 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13)..... 6,135.93

Total Items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13..... 28,049.25

Miscellaneous cash items..... 105.33

Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and

due from U. S. Treasurer..... 2,500.00

Other assets, if any..... 544.75

Total..... \$673,649.32

LIABILITIES

Capital stock and in-

surance fund..... \$ 75,000.00

Unpaid profits..... 50,000.00

Less current expenses paid..... 14,285.16

Circulating notes outstanding..... 20,577.16

Cashier's checks outstanding..... 27,352.17

Total..... 21,913.32

Amount due from State banks, bankers, and

trust companies in the United States

(other than included in Item 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13)..... 6,135.93

Total Items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13..... 28,049.25

Deposits due (other than bank deposits)

subject to Reserve (deposits payable

within 30 days):

Individual deposits subject to check..... 172,921.99

Certificates of deposit for more than 30

days (total for money borrowed):

Deposits of demand (other than bank

deposits) subject to Reserve, Item 29, 30,

31, 32, 33, and 34..... 192,316.79

Time deposits subject to withdrawal

after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or

more (total for postal savings):

Certificates of deposit (other than for

money borrowed):

Total of time deposits subject to re-

serve..... 104,179.38

Items 35, 36, 37, and 38..... 163,069.82

Notes and bills redounded..... 573,649.42

Used Car Sale

We're Selling 'em
Reduced Prices Make
You Buy

Rainer Motor Co., Inc.
PHONE 229 — — — ELBA, ALA.

Time To Plant That Garden

IF YOU HAVE NOT ALREADY PLANTED, NOW
WOULD BE A GOOD TIME TO START. COME
BY AND LET US FIX YOU UP IN THE SEED LINE.
WE HAVE THE WELL KNOWN—

Leonard's Seed

IN BULK, AND OUR STOCK IS FRESH, NEW
SEED—YOU GET MORE BY BUYING IN BULK,
AND OUR SEED ALWAYS GIVE SATISFACTION.

TELEPHONE 130—
Whitman Drug Co.

QUALITY — — — SERVICE

Your Telephone Is Quicker Than Your Feet

OUR DELIVERY SERVICE MAKES IT UNECESSARY
FOR YOU TO WALK OR RIDE TO THE
STORE OR TO SEND YOUR CHILD. WE STAND
BACK OF EVERY ARTICLE ORDERED BY
PHONE. NO CHARGE IF THE GOODS DON'T
SUIT YOU.

TELEPHONE 197
E. F. BLOCKER
ELBA, — — — ALABAMA

ADMINISTRATION NOTICE
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Notice is hereby given that on to-

ward the 1st day of February, 1927,

the Honorable J. A. Carnley, J. A. Carnley,

Probate Judge, Probate Court, Elba, Al-

abama, did issue Letters of ad-

ministration, after her appointment

as administrator of the estate of

H. C. Johnson, Cashier,

Elba, Alabama, deceased.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 20th day of March, 1927.

LILLIE HARPER, Notary Public.

Corcoran, R. S. BOYD,
C. E. DORSEY,
JNO. M. GARRETT,
Directors.

Mrs. W. A. Kelley and Margar-

ete Garrett and Henrietta Cos-
ton motored to Brewton Sunday

and claims against said estate must

present the same within the time al-

lowed by law, or the same will be

barred.

This March 31st, 1927.